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Case No. 8285/314

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Robert W. Bossemeyer et al.

Serial No: 09/407,106 Examiner: Igor N. Borissov

Filed: September 27, 1999 Group Art Unit: 3629

For: Method, System, and Article for Determining an Availability of a

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Telecommunication Feature

Dear Sir:

10/03/2005 MAHMED

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This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated June 24, 2005 for a period of 1 month(s).

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			claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.			
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Extension <u>Months</u>	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity
One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$120.00 \$450.00 \$1,020.00 \$1,590.00 \$2,160.00	\$60.00 \$225.00 \$510.00 \$795.00 \$1,080.00

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	Attached is a check for \$ for the Petition fee.
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: Sept. 28, 2005

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